METS FANS for PEACE

Tom Seaver Says U.S. Should Leave Vietnam

BALTIMORE, Oct. 10 (UPI)—Tom Seaver, the New York Mets' starting pitcher for the opening World Series game here tomorrow, believes the United States should get out of Vietnam. He says he plans to buy an advertisement in The New York Times saying: "If the Mets can win the World Series, then we can get out of Vietnam."

The Mets would have to defeat the Baltimore Orioles before Seaver could place such an ad, but the 24-year-old Californian who electrified the baseball world by winning 25 games for the Mets, helping them to the National League pennant, thinks he can carry out the plan in any case.

"I think it's perfectly ridiculous what we're doing about the Vietnam situation," he said. "It's absurd! When the series is over, I'm going to have a talk with Ted Kennedy, convey some of my ideas to him and then take an ad in the paper. I feel very strongly about this."

While this ball game is being played, Another ball game takes place in Chicago. Since the media has diverted your attention away from this game; we include an excerpt from the official Chicago program* so you can keep score for yourself. The stakes involve every American's right to assemble and participate in the political process. All indications are that the game is fixed....

* as prepared by the Grove Press

CHICAGO CONSPIRACY 1969 ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	College	Yrs. Pro	Regular Season Team
1	Davis, Rennie	QB	5'10"	160	29	Oberlin	6	National Mobes
15	Dellinger, Dave	QB	5'10"	190	54	Yale	30	Paris Peace Feelers
13	Froines, John	SE	5'11"	175	30	Berkeley	7	Eugene Chemists
12	Hayden, Tom	QB	5'11"	165	30	Michigan	9	National Mobes
9	Hoffman, Abbie	QB	5'9"	158	32	Brandeis	8	Yippies
16	Rubin, Jerry	QB	5'7"	150	31	Cincinnati	6	Yippies
42	Seale, Bobby	QB	5'11"	165	33	Merritt	8	Oakland Panthers
8	Weiner, Lee	LF	5'10"	166	29	Northwestern	2	Washoi Ballet

WASHINGTON KANGAROOS 1969 ROSTER

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Age	College	Yrs. Pro
0	Agnew, Spiro	VP	6'1"	208	51	Baltimore	23
8	Daley, Richard "Dick"	GK	5'7"	190	67	DePaul	34
1	Hoover, J. Edgar	CS	5'9"	189	74	George Washington	53
88	Kleindienst, Dick	TE	6'2"	200	46	Harvard	20
2	Mitchell, Jack	GM	5'11"	190	56	Fordham	31
4	Nixon, Dick	P	5'9"	175	56	Whittier	32
24	Raye, Martha	CF	5'5"	130	53	none	29
3	Thurmond, Strom	DPP	5'9"	165	66	Clemson	36

MANAGER NIXON, SPEAKING ON FUTURE TEAM TACTICS, STATED HIS INTENTIONS OF CUTTING BACK THE ROSTER BY 25,000. AS OF THIS WRITING, THE REDUCTION HAS ONLY BEEN ABOUT 2,500.

NIXON NOTICABLY NEGLECTED TO MENTION THAT SINCE HIS TAKING OVER THE JOB FROM JOHNSON, THE NUMBER OF PLAYER FATALITIES HAS JUMPED FROM A WEEKLY AVERAGE OF 188.2 TO 244.8, — A 30% INCREASE OVER THE FIGURES FOR JOHNSON'S LAST SIX MONTHS IN UNIFORM. AT THE SAME TIME AND SEEMINGLY IN AGREEMENT WITH COACH WESTMORELAND'S OPINION THAT THE GAME CANNOT BE WON, NIXON REVEALED HIS "secret plan" FOR A QUICK END TO THE GAME.

HOWEVER, HIS "secret plan" HAS DISCOURAGINGLY TURNED OUT BE NOTHING MORE THAN AN EXTENTION OF THE OFFENSIVE BALL THAT HAS HELD THE TEAM SCORELESS FOR A LONG TIME. INDICATIONS ARE THAT NO SUBSTANTIAL CHANGE IN TACTICS IS PLANNED.

???? IS THIS THE WAY TO END THE GAME????????????????????

GENERAL DAVID M. SHOUP, COMMANDANT OF THE U.S. MARINE CORPS (RET.)
THE ATLANTIC 1969.

"IN FACT, IT BECAME INCREASINGLY APPARENT THAT THE U.S. BOMBING EFFORT IN BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH VIETNAM HAS BEEN ONE OF THE MOST WASTEFUL AND EXPENSIVE HOAXES EVER TO BE PUT OVER ON THE AMERICAN PEOPLE."

" IN 1940, THERE WERE BUT 428,000 OFFICERS AND ENLISTED MEN IN THE ARMY AND NAVY. ...TODAY THE ACTIVE ARMED FORCES CONTAIN OVER 3.4 MILLION MEN AND WOMEN WITH AN ADDITIONAL 1-6 MILLION READY RESERVES AND NATIONAL GUARDSMEN."

"OUR MILITARISTIC CULTURE WAS BORN OF THE NECESSITIES OF WORLD WAR II, NURTURED BY THE KOREAN WAR, AND BECAME AN ACCEPTED ASPECT OF AMERICAN LIFE DURING THE YEARS OF COLD WAR EMERGENCIES AND REAL OR IMAGINED THREATS FROM THE COMMUNIST BLOC."

" CIVILIANS CAN SCARCELY UNDERSTAND OR EVEN BELIEVE THAT MANY AMBITIOUS MILITARY PROFESSIONALS TRULY YEARN FOR WARS AND THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR GLORY AND DISTINCTION AFFORDED ONLY IN COMBAT. A CAREER OF PEACETIME DUTY IS A DULL AND FRUSTRATING PROSPECT FOR THE NORMAL REGULAR OFFICER TO CONTEMPLATE."

" MILITARISM IN AMERICA IS IN FULL BLOOM AND PROMISES A FUTURE OF VIGOROUS SELF-POLLINATION — unless the blight of Vietnam REVEALS THAT MILITARISM IS MORE A POISONOUS WEED THAN A GLORIOUS BLOSSOM."

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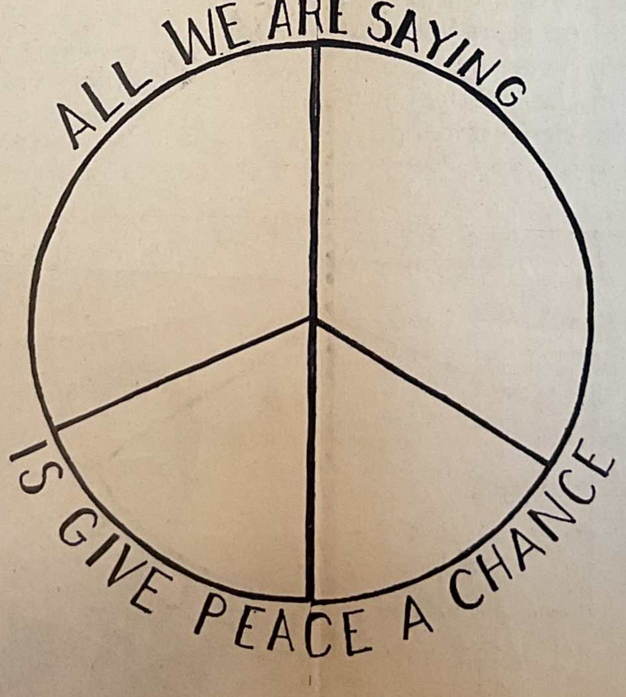
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